

WALL STREET

Market Closing.—If there is anything in the admonition not to sell a dull market it should apply now. A condition of intense dullness prevailed in late afternoon, but prices were steady, and those who were bullishly inclined said the market was sold to a standstill.

There was a little selling pressure on Great Northern Ore, resulting in a decline of over a point to \$4.40, but the stock met support at the low level. The street had no special explanation of the decline. Total sales, 164,128 shares.

Opening was quiet and initial price changes were unimportant. Copper stocks responded to the strength in the metal market in London and advanced after the opening.

While the volume of business was light, fractional gains were made in all the active stocks in the first half hour. U. S. Steel seemed to possess considerable strength, gaining 1-2, to \$3.58. Short interest is said by close observers to be larger than at any other time in a long while. Trading eased off toward the end of the first hour. There was revival of dividend talk on Inter. Met. preferred, but traders were not inclined to speculate on that issue, although earnings are running at the rate of \$1-2 per cent. on the preferred.

Market held firm during the second hour, business on small scale. In the early afternoon the market was practically at a standstill; only a few stocks were traded in, but prices held steady.

The Closing Quotations.

Stock	High	Low	Open	Close
Am. Gold Mines	110	108	109	108
Am. Sm. & Ref.	110	108	109	108
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Yields of Leading Stocks Based on Present Selling Prices.

Stock	Yield
Am. Sm. & Ref.	7.75
Am. Steel	7.60
Am. Wire	7.50
Am. Zinc	7.40
Am. Copper	7.30
Am. Lead	7.20
Am. Tin	7.10
Am. Nickel	7.00
Am. Silver	6.90
Am. Platinum	6.80
Am. Iron	6.70
Am. Coal	6.60
Am. Oil	6.50
Am. Gas	6.40
Am. Electric	6.30
Am. Telephone	6.20
Am. Railway	6.10
Am. Marine	6.00
Am. Navigation	5.90
Am. Shipping	5.80
Am. Insurance	5.70
Am. Banking	5.60
Am. Finance	5.50
Am. Real Estate	5.40
Am. Public Works	5.30
Am. Utilities	5.20
Am. Chemicals	5.10
Am. Textiles	5.00
Am. Paper	4.90
Am. Printing	4.80
Am. Publishing	4.70
Am. Education	4.60
Am. Medicine	4.50
Am. Law	4.40
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CHICAGO WHEAT AND CORN MARKET.

Stock	High	Low	Open	Close
Wheat	1.10	1.08	1.09	1.08
Corn	1.10	1.08	1.09	1.08
Barley	1.10	1.08	1.09	1.08
Oats	1.10	1.08	1.09	1.08
Rye	1.10	1.08	1.09	1.08
Sorghum	1.10	1.08	1.09	1.08
Millet	1.10	1.08	1.09	1.08
Buckwheat	1.10	1.08	1.09	1.08
Speltz	1.10	1.08	1.09	1.08
Tritic	1.10	1.08	1.09	1.08
Amalgamated	1.10	1.08	1.09	1.08
American Can	1.10	1.08	1.09	1.08
American Gas	1.10	1.08	1.09	1.08
American Smelters	1.10	1.08	1.09	1.08
American Steel	1.10	1.08	1.09	1.08
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ITEMS FOR INVESTORS.

M. Rumely Company's combined income account shows loss for the year of \$3,564,929.

Western Pacific's February gross declined \$31,922, leaving a deficit of \$36,220. Eight months' gross increased \$119,902, net declined \$430,075.

United Cigar Stores Company's regular quarterly dividend of 1 1/2 per cent. on common stock is payable May 15 to stock of record April 30.

Delaware and Hudson reports 14 1/2-100 per cent. earned in calendar year 1913 against 12 1/2-100 per cent. in 1912, an increase of 158-100 per cent.

Norfolk and Western February gross declined \$394,379, net decreased \$311,457. Eight months' gross increased \$461,481, net decreased \$1,250,129.

Union Pacific directors plan to continue to pay dividends on the common stock at rate of 10 per cent. per annum until holders of common stock have received the extra distribution approved by the board Jan. 8 last.

By April 20 the 80 by-product coke ovens of Republic Iron & Steel Company at Youngstown will be in full operation, employing 300 additional men.

Vacuum Oil Co. reports surplus Dec. 31 \$17,151,049, against \$14,676,275 previous year.

Mountain Power Company recently listed on the Stock Exchange reports net earnings for year \$1,414,398; balance after dividends \$302,306.

Davis-Daly Copper Company called assessment of 50 cents a share payable 25 cents June 1 and balance Oct. 1.

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